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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICATION OF)
CHRISTIAN WAMPRECHT ET AL) GROUP: 1714
SERIAL NO.: 10/092,212) EXAMINER: P. NILAND
FILED: MARCH 6, 2002)
TITLE: NEW POLYURETHANES AND)
THEIR USE FOR THE THICKENING)
OF AQUEOUS SYSTEMS)

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(A)

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Sirs:

Applicants, by the undersigned attorney, respectfully petition the Commissioner of Patents under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for filing their response so that the Amendment and the Request for Continued Examination filed simultaneously with this Petition will be considered timely filed.

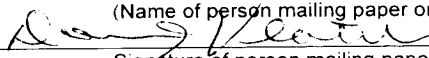
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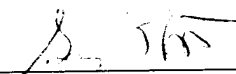

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